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Cc: Sen. Euer, Dawn; Rep. Carson, Lauren H.

Subject: Pass Bills H-5816 & S-0769

My name is Thomas Palmer, 20 Warner Street, Newport, RI.

From Cliff Walk here in Newport I have been watching the construction of the Revolution 1 wind farm. To see our energy future being built here in Rhode Island fills me with pride and hope.

Offshore wind is crucial to meeting our Act on Climate goals. It is crucial to pass these bills and to continue to support the build out of wind and solar energy.

Rhode Island is in the cross-hairs of sea level rise and coastal flooding. Warming ocean temperatures are having a negative impact on our fishing industry. We must do every to mitigate the impact of carbon emissions on our state and planet.

Support offshore wind. Support solar energy.

Please pass these bills to keep RI in the forefront of fighting climate change.

Respectfully submitted, Thomas Palmer